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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 Oct 94 01:11:16 -0500
From: conklic9391@cobra.uni.edu
Subject: IC-W21A HELP

In article <Cxp9J0.D4A@freenet.carleton.ca>, aw871@FreeNet.Carleton.CA (Jim
Wishner) writes:

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> hello...i am considering upgrading my 2-meter equipment...
> i currently use a kenwood 2500 (circa 1982, i evelieve).
> saw an ad for an ICOM IC-W21A on sale. i looked
> through over two years of qst's for a review or
> specifications...but found different. i did find
> some sililar-sounding models (e.gh IC-W21AT) but
> the specific model number i'm considering is the
> W21A. I WOULD greatly appreciate any
> comments, criticisms, observations you have on

The "T" that is missing, stands for tone, as in touch-tone. I saw one of these
at Radio Expo for \$299 (I think?!). It lacks any keypad, hence its lack of
ability ti generate touch-tones (although I wouldn't be surprised if a MT8870
or 8880 chip is in there to decode/encode for TTsquelch, I just dont know how

one programs it!).

If all you want to do it talk- and you don't mind dialing-in the freq rather than direct numerical entry than I suppose this radio might work.

Anyone with corrections, please feel free- I only glanced at this at the hamfest while running for all the other bargains :-)

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This space for rent--please help a starving grad studnet by contributing
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Date: 17 Oct 1994 05:51:19 GMT
From: pschleck@gonix.com (Paul W Schleck KD3FU)
Subject: Univerisity Competition in SS.

In article <130CT199401073492@elroy.uh.edu>,
Brad Killebrew N5LJV <n5ljv@uh.edu> wrote:
>For thos university ham clubs that are not on the ham-univ mailing list,
>here's the latest poop on university competitions in sweep stakes.
>
>To subscribe, send e-mail to ham-univ@listserver.njit.edu, and include
>in the body: subscribe ham-univ
>

One significant beef with the above. You've just instructed the net ham population to send subscription requests to the article submission address and not the subscription address. This will cause all of the subscribers to receive such messages (and not be able to subscribe the requestor to the list as they are not the appropriate recipient). Replace "ham-univ" in the address above with "listserv." This will cause your subscription request to go to the right location, and not start off your participation on the mailing list by annoying the readership.

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73, Paul W. Schleck, KD3FU
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<1994Oct14.041541.6006@ulfb.isc.rit.edu>
Subject: Re: ARRL And Gay Hams Settle Complaint

In article <1994Oct14.041541.6006@ulfb.isc.rit.edu>,
jdc3538@ulfb.isc.rit.edu (J.D. Cronin) writes:

| On a more serious note, most homosexual organizations exist to
| promote acceptance of homosexual behavior as 'normal' and even
| a Good Thing.

I don't have a problem with that. Do you?

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Opinions expressed are mine. | E7 FE 97 88 E5 02 3C AE 9C 8C 54 5B 9A D4 A0 CD

Date: Mon, 17 Oct 1994 06:45:19 GMT
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Reply-To: jeffrey@math.hawaii.edu
Subject: Earth Ground (was: ARRL And Gay Hams Settle Complaint)

cradek@herbie.unl.edu (Chris <no callsign> Radek) writes:

>>On a more serious note, most homosexual organizations exist to
>>promote acceptance of homosexual behavior as 'normal' and even
>>a Good Thing.

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>>73...Jim N2VNO

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>No, actually most "homosexual" (try gay sometime - it's less clinical)
>organizations exist to promote the fact that we're human, just like everyone
>else, and just like everyone else we want and deserve to be treated as such.
>Nobody is trying to "sell" you on being gay; God knows gay people have
>enough trouble without folks like you on our side of the fence... I had
>hoped that technology might help bridge gaps in understanding between people
>with different feelings and beliefs, but it looks like misunderstanding is

>still alive and well here.

Just as some of us will always be nauseated by the acts of child molesters and those who commit bestiality, so it is with gays. And I believe that sodomy is still illegal in some states. According to our campus newspaper sodomy among the gays in the restrooms on campus is rampant.

Homophobic? Hardly, since I have no fear of the estimated 2%; try homo-disgusted.

ObRadio: Any problem with using a length of iron re-bar for an earth ground? Or does everyone use expensive copper pipe? After I realized that there was a voltage potential between the house wiring's electrical ground and the cold water pipe outdoors I've decided to drive a grounding rod into the soil (seasoned with rocksalt!).

73 from Hawaii,
Jeff NH6IL

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